# United States Army War College

## Course Overview Presentation for Attendees, Speakers, and Panelists

### Joint Force Land Component Commander (JFLCC) Course 1-06,
### 26 February – 3 March 2006

# Course Mission and Objectives

***Prepare senior officers to function effectively as land component commanders in joint, interagency, intergovernmental, and multinational environments.***

**Objectives: Graduates of the Joint Force Land Component Commander Course will be able to:**

- **Plan, prepare for, and execute land operations that support coalition and combatant commanders in the accomplishment of national security and international policy objectives.**
- **Form the command and execute theater-wide and multinational integrating functions of a Combined / Joint Land Force Component Command.**
- **Conduct operations in conjunction with other functional coalition commands (JFACC, JFMCC, and JFSOC).**
- **Conduct sustained land-dominance operations to defeat enemy efforts and stabilize conditions through coalition land actions within a complex multinational, interagency (US), intergovernmental, and international (IO and NGO) context, as well as regional/global media**

# JFLCC Topics & Scope

- **Roles and Responsibilities of the JFLCC - Theater to JTF levels in forming and operating the multinational command.**

- **Theater-level Strategy - Integration of major land operations into the coalition and combatant commanders' campaign plans amid dynamic conditions; essential elements of establishing and ensuring coalition cohesion and unity of effort.**

- **Land Dominance Operations - Operations that support the combatant commanders' theater objectives and accomplish mutual, agreed upon policy objectives for coalition operations.**

- **Combined Land Operations - Operations with multinational forces, including the capabilities and limitations of national policy determinations within the coalition under a multinational command structure .**

- **Political and Media Influences - Operations within the parameters of guidance from a multinational command structure and integration with international organizations; participation by nongovernmental and international organizations.**

- **Key Operational-Level Systems and Processes – Establishment of effective systems for command and control of major land formations, information and intelligence sharing, synchronization and integration of multinational movement and maneuver, effects-based information operations and fires,**

# JFLCC Course 1-06: 26 February-3 March 2006

| Sunday (26 Feb) | Monday (27 Feb) | Tuesday (28 Feb) | Wednesday (1 Mar) | Thursday (2 Mar) | Friday (3 Mar) |
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| 0800-1130<br>Travel/Transition Time;<br><br>0830-1100<br>Senior Mentor Coordination Meeting at Root Hall<br><br>1130-1145<br>Commandant's Welcome<br><br>1145-1215<br>Course Overview (COL Brown/COL Williams) | 0800-0845<br>Strategic and Operational Insights (GEN Luck)<br><br>0900-1100 (VTC)<br>JFLCC Fundamentals (GEN McKiernan)<br><br>1100-1215<br>Theater Operational Protection (MG Bromberg) | 0800-0830<br>Exercise Overview (COL Rovegno/COL Brown)<br><br>0830-1100<br>Exercise 1: Mission Analysis & Commander's Intent (Senior Mentors)<br><br>1100-1215<br>JFACC Perspectives (MajGen Seip) | 0800-1000<br>Exercise 2: Setting the Theater (Senior Mentors)<br><br>1015-1115 (VTC)<br>CSA Expectations (GEN **Schoomaker**)<br><br>1130-1245<br>JFLCC in Urban Operations (MGen Natonski) | 0800-0915<br>CCDR Perspectives (ADM Blair)<br><br>0930-1045<br>Transition Operations LTG Garner<br><br>1100-1215<br>Coalition Perspectives on Coalition Warfare (Lt Gen Brims, UK) | 0800-0930<br>Interagency Planning (Mr Hawley)<br><br>0930-1030<br>JFLCC in Counter-insurgency Operations (LTG Barno)<br><br>1045-1215<br>Exercise 3: Envisioning Campaign End State--Transition to SASO (Senior Mentors) | |
| 1215-1300 Lunch | 1215-1300 Lunch | 1215-1300 Lunch | 1245-1315 | 1215-1245 Lunch w/GEN Wallace | | 1215-1300 Lunch |
| 1300-1415<br>The Army in Theater (Prof John Bonin)<br><br>1430-1545<br>The Theater Planning Process (Mr Fitzgerald)<br><br>1600-1715<br>Senior Leadership and Senior Leader Communications (Senior Mentors) | 1300-1415<br>JFSOC in Theater (LTG Dailey)<br><br>1430-1545<br>The Marines in Theater (LtGen Blackman)<br><br>1600-1715<br>Operational ISR & Reachback (MG DeFreitas) | 1300-1415<br>Theater JRSOI (LTG Dunwoody)<br><br>1430-1545<br>Theater Sustainment (LTG Dunwoody)<br><br>1600-1715<br>JFMCC in Theater (RADM McCullough) | 1315-1415<br>MNC-I in Land Operations (LTG Vines)<br><br>1430-1545<br>JFLCC in Effects-based Operations (BG Vangjel)<br><br>1600-1715<br>CCJTF Perspectives (ADM Barrie) | 1245-1300<br>Class Photograph<br><br>1300-1415<br>Information Operations in JFLCC Planning (Brig Gen Lessel)<br><br>1430-1545<br>TBD<br><br>1600-1715<br>USAID Perspectives (Mr Hess) | 1300-1415<br>International Agencies (Mr Kruesi, ICRC)<br><br>1430-1545<br>Nat'l & Internat'l Journalism (Prof Begleiter)<br><br>1600-1630<br>Operational Command (Senior Mentors)<br><br>1630-1700<br>Closing Comments and Survey Alert (COL Brown) | |
| Team Dinner Departure | Commandant's (Market Cross Pub) | Open Evening Reception | Team Dinner | Team Dinner (Boiling Springs Tavern) | Optional Event | |

# JFLCC Course 1-06 Attendee Distribution

## US Attendees

Army Primary Slate – 10

Marine Corps Slate - 2

Navy Slate - 1

Air Force Slate - 1

## Int'l Attendees

Australia – 1 (TBD)

United Kingdom – 1

**Total Attendees - 16**

# Senior Mentors Guide Seminars

***Senior Mentors*:**

- ***"Deep bench with balanced experience":*** **Land component commanders with varied experience and knowledge of course content & requirements.**

***Seminar-based Exercises*:**

- **Senior Mentor-led teams explore key challenges of land component command.**

***Lesson Content*:**

- **Briefings by senior speakers.**
- **Comments & discussion guided by Senior Mentors.**

**JFLCC Course 1-06**

**GEN (R) Gary Luck (USA)**

**LTG (R) Thomas Burnette (USA)**

**LtGen (R) Christmas (USMC)**

# Senior Speakers and Panelists

***Senior Speakers:***

- **Provide the centerpiece for each lesson's content.**
- **General officers (or equivalent) who have in-depth knowledge and experience in the subject area.**
- **Recent experience in OEF/OIF preferred.**

***Content:***

**Course Director works with speakers and/or staff writers to develop content that meets course intent.**

***Lessons:***

- **Following SM remarks, speakers offer presentations and entertain Q&As.**
- **SMs interject to guide discussions and illustrate points.**

# Tentative Senior Speaker Slate

## *LCC Fundamentals*

**JFLCC Fundamentals**

**GEN McKiernan**

**Army in Theater**

**Prof Bonin**

**Combined Campaign Planning**

**Mr Fitzgerald**

**Marines in Theater**

**LtGen Blackman**

**Interagency Teamwork in Coalition Operations**

**Mr Hawley**

**CCDR Perspectives**

**ADM (R) Blair**

**Operational Effects Process**

**BG Vangjel**

**Information Operations**

**Brig Gen Lessel**

## *Setting the Theater*

**Operational ISR**

**MG DeFreitas**

**Operational Protection**

**MG Bromberg**

**Theater RSOI**

**LTG Dunwoody**

**Theater Sustainment**

**LTG Dunwoody**

**JFLCC in Urban Operations**

**MGen Natonski**

## *Component Perspectives*

**CFSOC Perspectives**

**LTG Dailey**

**CFMCC Perspectives**

**RADM McCullough**

**CFACC Perspectives**

**Maj Gen Seip**

## *International Affairs*

**National & International Media Perspectives**

**Prof Begleiter**

**US Interagency in Stability Operations**

**Mr Hess, USAID**

**Combined JTF Operations**

**ADM (R) Barrie, Aus CDF**

**Views on Coalition Command**

**Lt Gen Brims, UK**

**Int'l Organization Perspectives**

**Mr Kruesi, ICRC**

**Chief of Staff of the Army Expectations**

**GEN Schoomaker**

**JFLCC in Counterinsurgency Operations**

**LTG Barno**

# JFLCC Course Carrier Exercise – Combatant Commander's Guidance

**Method: For each portion of the exercise, attendees will receive various staff recommendations to review for approval. In turn, the attendees will use these as a basis for providing clarifying guidance to the staff to guide future planning.**

**Prior to each exercise, they receive:**

- **An intelligence Update that portrays the operational level situation in theater**
- **Political-Military Directive (updated based on changing conditions)**
- **Combatant Commander Guidance and Intent (also updated as required, based on changing and evolving conditions)**
- **Emerging constraints and restraints to action (National, Combatant Commander, Host Nation, etc)**

**Exercises & Staff Briefings:**

**Provide analysis/ recommendations for commander consideration, approval and further focusing guidance.**

**They provide guidance on:**

- **LCC Mission Statement - Review and approve recommendation; update as required by situational change**
- **Commander's Guidance and Intent (also updated/revised with changing conditions)**
- **Approved Effects Objectives and Tasks – based on review of staff's recommendations, and considering evolving conditions**
- **Decision Points and Guidance on CCIR required to support these DP's**

# JFLCC Course Carrier Exercise

**Plenary briefings by SMEs offer doctrinal and experiential base**

- **Exercise Intro:**
- **Organize the LCC**
- **Build the Force and Theater**
- **Synchronize the Operational Fight**
- **Conflict Transition and Coalition Ops**

## Ex 1: Commander's Initial Operational Guidance

Given CFC mission/intent, evaluate staff recommendations and provide guidance on:

**Mission Analysis & Commander's Intent**

- Specified & implied tasks
- Assumptions
- Constraints & restraints
- International mandates
- Commander's Intent
- Endstates

Changing Conditions

## Ex 2: Setting the Theater and Forming the Coalition

Given changing political/policy conditions and CFC mission/ intent, provide guidance on:

**Setting the Theater:**

- Force projection
- JRSOI
- Protection
- Priorities and battlespace geometry for building the theater base for combined forces

Changing Conditions

## Ex 3 : Conflict Transition to Stability and Support:

Given political/military conditions as transition nears, provide guidance on:

**Conflict Transition from MCO to SASO**

- Envision key challenges and operational conditions
- Establish stability framework
- Accept/build coalition forces
- Continued IO/NGO/ media challenges and integration
- Handling of detainees and

**Attendees develop skills to:**

- Approve/revalidate mission
- Provide and update Commander's Intent for land operations
- Determine, accept, integrate, and organize coalition forces
- Determine key decisions with supporting CCIR

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